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All persons are by nature free and independent, and have certain natural and unalienable rights, among which are those of enjoying and defending life and liberty, of acquiring, possessing, and protecting property, and of pursuing and obtaining safety and happiness.

--Article I, Section 1, New Jersey State Constitution

DECLARATION

Militia leaders met at Knob Creek, Kentucky, and drafted the following declaration with regard to the Freemen, a group that has been surrounded by Federal police on their self-proclaimed Justus Township, Montana, ranch since March 25, 1996:

Our respect for the opinions of the Citizens of the several States demands that we state the reasons for our actions. Our government have deprived the Citizens of the several States of their God given rights by ignoring the letter and spirit of our Constitutions, as written by our forefathers and given to us in trust.

We have warned the People, from time to time, of attempts by legislators to take unlawful control of our lives. Some have listened, some have not. Our grievances have fallen on deaf ears of legislators, and justice is silent in our courts. Bureaucrats, representatives, senators, judges, and our executive officers have no respect for the Constitutions which define the role and limits of government.

The Declaration of Independence of 1776 clearly states the terms and reasons why We, the People, have the right, and duty, to restore our lawful Constitutional Government.

Therefore:

We, the People, acting in accordance with the Second Article of Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America, hereby declare and affirm the following:

While endorsing no position concerning their beliefs, we DEMAND that the sovereign Citizens of Justus Township, Montana, stand before a Constitutional Grand Jury, convened and conducted in strict accordance with Articles of Amendment (commonly known as the Bill of Rights) V, VI, and VII to the Constitution of the United States of America, to answer the complaints against them. We demand that all the facts of their case be examined without prejudice, with due process, in an open and public manner. The Citizens of Justus Township have given their pledge to abide by the decisions of this Grand Jury.

During the current unlawful activity of federal officers in Justus Township, and in numerous previous atrocities we have witnessed, we have restrained our brethren who would halt this string of abuses by force of arms. With each abuse by unlawful authority, we have found this more difficult. This has also been more troubling to our own conscience.

Should any Citizen be injured, or suffer loss of life, now or in the future, by unlawful authority, or without due process, or if any action is taken against any signer, their families, or any supporter of this Declaration, it will be considered an act of war against all the Citizens of all the States. We will then no longer restrain our brethren from the use of whatever lawful force is necessary to eliminate the threat of unlawful federal enforcement authority. These Rules of Engagement will continue until such authority has returned to its Constitutional jurisdiction.

Our efforts are for the restoration of Constitutional government. We do not threaten violence to our fellow Americans, nor will we tolerate indiscriminate destruction of lives and property. If we are to restore the Constitutional guarantees for our children, we must use the lawful means available to us. We will depend on our Creator for judgment for our actions.

This Declaration is Non-Negotiable.

(signatures)

The Year of Our Lord 1996, April 14th.

A copy of the original document was hand delivered to the Knoxville, TN, FBI office at 11:30 EDT, 4/16/96 by Mike Perrin and Harry Bibee. At the same hour original copies were delivered to the FBI in several other states by other signers of the declaration.

First Amendment Attacked #1

Viewpoint is the title of the editorial column that appears in the Newark *Star-Ledger*. On Wednesday, April 17, 1996, *Selling Clean Air* appeared: *"When it comes to protecting the environment, the public is usually solidly behind all efforts to improve it, at least in concept.*

"When the concept is turned into practice, however, support sometimes wanes if there is fear than an environmental protection law will prove to be costly and a nuisance.

"For that reason, it is not surprising that environmental advocates concede that public support for cleaning up New Jersey's polluted air has not developed to the degree that they hoped. The culprit is the belief, cleverly cultivated by clean air opponents, that enforcing clean air standards would hit the average motorist with great force right in the pocketbook.

"For example, a widely distributed leaflet falsely claimed that cars flunking an emission test would be confiscated by the state. State officials concede that these scare tactics have been effective.

"It would perhaps be worthwhile for the Attorney General's Office to investigate who is behind the distribution of these fraudulent leaflets and whether any conspiracy exists.

"Word pollution can sometimes be just as dangerous as other forms of pollution."

The Author of the "infamous" leaflet spoken of in Viewpoint sent us the following statement: **"You are hereby advised to read and distribute this press release at your own risk.** ***As if any further proof were needed to illustrate the police state atmosphere under which New Jersey residents must currently live, the Star-Ledger has publicly appealed for censorship and the elimination of Constitutionally guaranteed First Amendment rights.***

The editorial calling for the New Jersey Attorney General to investigate those public citizens exercising their First Amendment rights in criticizing the state's new emissions law, alleging a "conspiracy", is unconscionable. Perhaps the only surprise is that the editorial did not call for warrantless midnight raids to round up the offending words, followed by nightly bonfires of fliers and faxes in front of the Governor's mansion to appease her and Hazel Gluck [a politically-connected lobbyist for an Arizona company seeking the $1.4 billion centralized automobile testing contract that will put 3,900 private inspection stations out of business because of the State's implementation of the federal Clean Air Act].

The fact is that the state's emission law will cause an estimated one million New Jersey drivers to lose their cars. This has been proven by the text of the legislation itself [SCS-1700] and in countless articles written by reporters, who, unlike the Star-Ledger's Gordon Bishop, were not fired because they attempted to tell the truth.

Let's not forget that only three years ago, former Governor Florio requested that police arrest all NRA members displaying a "Florio Free in '93" bumper sticker; he doesn't like the First amendment either. But this time, should the state heed the call of the Star-Ledger, they will find their task made easier by the fact that every New Jersey resident voicing opposition to the Governor's office, DMV or their legislators has had their name and address datebased by the state.

If the leading newspaper in New Jersey believes handing out a piece of paper purportedly contrary to the interests of the state should be a crime, then it won't be long before they call for the arrest of Senator Dick LaRossa, who has introduced legislation to repeal the emission law.

As for the Star-Ledger readers? Well, they might wisely contemplate what other censorship and manipulation of information critical to their lives the editors are planning.

The Author.

EDITOR'S NOTE: First and foremost, every newspaper publisher in America should get on their knees and pray that *"word pollution"* is never deemed a crime, because if it is, they're all headed for Leavenworth.

It's amazing that a newspaper would call for censorship of the printed word. What the writer of Viewpoint had better realize is that the sword of censorship is double-edged: if it can be wielded against a pampleteer---it can also be wielded against a newspaper, such as the *Star-Ledger*.

Militia groups around the country know all about *"word pollution"*, and it doesn't come from *"leaflets"*, but from the media itself. Militias are routinely hammered by the press. Most of it is *"fraudulent"*. Will the writer of Viewpoint call for the Attorney General to investigate the *"scare tactics"* (i.e. *"word pollution"*) used against the militias by the mainstream press? If so NJM will defend the editorial writer, something he apparently would never do for us.

Ed.: for a copy of the offending leaflet send us $1 and an SASE.

First Amendment Attacked #2

At a press conference held in Washington, DC, on February 13, 1996, Handgun Control, Inc. presented a petition to the Federal Trade Commission urging that ads be banned if they allude to the security benefits of firearms. HCI specifically cited magazine ads placed by Colt, Beretta, Lorcin, North American Arms, SIG Sauer and Taurus. FTC Associate Director C. Lee Peeler expressed his "appreciation" for the petition.

Ed.: This is a classic example of how special interests lobby government to steal our rights. Write the FTC, 6th St. and Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20580, and express your opposition to any infringement of the right of firearms manufacturers to advertise the self-defense benefits of guns.

NEW JERSEY'S FORFEITURE KING INDICTED

Somerset Prosecutor Nicholas Bissell, Jr. Faces 30 Counts

So reports F.E.A.R. (Forfeiture Endangers American Rights) in their March, 1996, newsletter: ***"In a sweeping indictment of one of the nation's most overreaching and vindictive property forfeiture zealots, on September 28 a federal grand jury in Newark, NJ, charged Somerset County Prosecutor Nicholas L. Bissell, Jr. with 30 counts of criminal activity. Among the charges are mail fraud, conspiracy, tax fraud, financial-aid fraud, obstruction of justice, perjury and making false statements to federal agents".***

Bissell is currently out on a $200,000 bail and wife Barbara, included in 13 of the 33 counts, on a $100,000 bail.

The (stranger than fiction) incident that lead to Bissell's downfall was a case involving a man named James Guiffre ***"a home-builder in Somerset and an admitted casual drug user who was arrested in 1988 after detectives found 17 grams of cocaine in his home."***

According to Guiffre, ***"After I was arrested, I was not taken to jail. Instead, I was taken to the Somerset Trust Bank building where the county rents space on the second floor. Then I was handcuffed to a chair for nearly two days during which I was not allowed to contact an attorney despite repeated requests. I was also threatened physically, and the officers threatened to shoot my dog."***

F.E.A.R. reported that Guiffre was repeatedly asked to sign two residential properties over to the prosecutor's office and sign a statement that he bought the properties with drug money.

Guiffre went on to say, ***"After almost two days of thinking they were just going to take me out back and shoot me, I signed. I would have signed anything they wanted. And I was immediately released. The prosecutor's office filed the deeds to the property within two hours."***

F.E.A.R. went on to report: ***"The two properties, each a three acre homesite, were later sold for $10,000 apiece at a supposedly public auction, but which was attended by only one bidder, the girlfriend of a friend of Bissell's. Guiffre had originally paid over $200,000 for them."***

"It was a set-up from the beginning," Guiffre reported. ***"The whole idea was to shake me down to get the land to sell to his friend."***

Ed.: Contact FEAR at P.O. Box 5424, Somerset, NJ 08875; 908/873-1251.

(Editor's Note: Lord Acton said: ***"Power tends to corrupt, and absolute power corrupts absolutely".*** The Apostle Paul said: ***"The love of money is the root of all evil".*** Combine the two and what do you get? Forfeiture Laws.)

Nicholas L. Bissell's story is not unique with N.J. Prosecutors. A number of them have run afoul of the law in the past five years. Columnist John McLaughlin in the April 28, 1996, Sunday *Star-Ledger* wrote an article

"The democratic process being what it is, we cannot be certain that the present conservative trend will continue. Leftists, after all, are most adroit in demagoguery; the half-educated that dominate the mass media have an easy time with the uneducated."

---Erik von Kuehnelt-Leddihn

titled; **"Tripping On Power: Why are so many prosecutors in trouble with the law?"** The most bizarre case involved Camden County Prosecutor Sam Asbell: ***"... Asbell explained at a press conference on Jan. 2, 1990, he was cruising the deserted streets of Camden when a green Toyota containing two men began to follow him. Asbell, convinced they were drug dealers out to do him in, took off and at one point hit 100 miles an hour. There was a shootout. But Asbell managed to blow away one of the bad guys. 'I saw his head explode,' he explained."***

As it turned out, Asbell, trying to earn "hero status" with the public, shot his own car full of bullet holes and made up the whole story. This stunt cost Asbell his carrier in law enforcement and a short stay in a psychiatric hospital.

McLaughlin's article, which goes into detail about each prosecutor, is too lengthy for the *NJM Newsletter*, but here is a short synopsis: Cape May County Prosecutor John Corino was convicted of drunk driving. Salem County Prosecutor Frank Hoerst was removed for using the forfeiture fund to take his girl friend to San Francisco and buy himself a car stereo. Bergen County Prosecutor Charles Buckley was charged by subordinates with interfering in a case involving the sale of county cars. Passaic County Prosecutor Ronald Fava is under investigation for interfering in a narcotics case. Middlesex County Prosecutor J. Kenneth Gluck is charged with misusing his position so that his errant son could go to the senior prom. Monmouth County Prosecutor John Kaye was found guilty of discriminating against a woman investigator. (The case cost N.J. tax payers $435,000---reduced 75% on a "technicality".) Essex County Prosecutor Clifford Minor's office is under investigation for possible witness tampering in a kickback scheme.

Thus of twenty-one county prosecutors nine are known to be in hot water. Of course if the reporter were to tell the real story about how they violate our rights all twenty-one would be in jail.

MILITIA LEADER PREDICTS RAPID GROWTH FOLLOWING ELECTIONS

(Press release)

Alanson, MI, March 15. *"The militia movement in America will experience unprecedented growth in the year following the election,"* predicts Norman Olson, commander of the Regional Militias of Michigan. *"It will be a time of dramatic social upheaval and perhaps the rebirth of America".*

The militia has gone through both organizational and philosophical changes in two years since its beginning in Brutus, Michigan, triggered in 1994 by frightening conspiracy theories, rumors of black helicopters, and reports of foreign troops on US soil. Following the bombing in Oklahoma City many militia members became private and non-public. Some quit altogether. In 1996, many members and ex-members climbed onboard the Buchanan bandwagon hoping for a peaceful political solution. Not surprisingly, after Oklahoma City, many others who never affiliated with the militia joined, believing that the government itself was responsible.

To some, the militia movement appears to have fragmented to the point of collapse. To others, the diversity is normal as people form groups in search of solutions. But to Olson, the many groups and categories of patriots which the militia spawned are the future resource from which a greater, a more devoted, and a more determined citizen militia will grow. ***"A multitude of disaffected and angry Americans will have nowhere to turn after November. No politician will speak for them. Their political voice will be largely silenced and the hopeful flame of political change and peaceful revolution will be quenched. Dole or Clinton--it matters not--will continue to champion the Federal stranglehold on constitutional liberties. Nothing will have changed and people will add frustration to their anger and fear. Those who left the militia to wave political banners will return along with millions of others who begin to realize what both political parties have intended for America. Under the pretense of giving government back to the states, a more fearsome fascist power will emerge."***

Olson commented on other dangers involved in the wake of the Presidential campaigns in a press release from militia headquarters in Alanson. ***"The Republican National Committee's effort to demonize Buchanan indicates the growing contempt for, and fear of, those who think like Buchanan does."*** According to Olson, those who support Buchanan will not support another candidate because of the vast differences in principles and political viewpoints. ***"Consequently,"*** says Olson, ***"millions of Americans will be left estranged, angry, and increasingly frustrated. To neutralize this hotbed of armed revolution, the Federal Government will attempt to destroy the militia movement through rapid passage of "anti-terrorism" and anti-militia legislation. But those who have spoken out will not be silenced easily. Any effort to stop the militia movement now will lead to a disastrous consequence reminiscent of Lexington and Concord. It may mean war."***

MORRIS DEES: X-RATED ENEMY of the MILITIA --Part Two

The following are excerpts from Maureene Dees' divorce brief filed in the Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Alabama, in 1979. It may be offensive to some of our readers.

Morris and Charles Springman. "On August 11, 1978, Maureene and Morris' 10th. anniversary, they were having dinner at the Watergate Hotel in Washington, D.C., and afterwards had drinks in the bar. In the bar, they saw Charles Springman, who Maureene knew as a Regional Coordinator for the National Endowment of the Arts. She had told Morris that Springman was gay, but Morris had never met him. When they saw him in the bar, Morris suggested inviting him over for a drink. After a while, to Maureene's surprise, Morris suggested that Charles come up to the room with them. In the room, they drank wine and talked, and Morris unbuttoned his shirt to the waist. Charlie tried to leave several times but Morris wouldn't let him. Finally Morris proposed that Charles spend the night with them. Mrs. Dees protested, and put on her robe and nightgown to go to bed. Soon Charles and Morris were in bed naked, with Maureene in the middle with her gown on. Springman and Morris hugged and kissed, and Morris tried to get Charlie to have relations with Maureene, but Springman was physically unable to have sex with Mrs. Dees during this incident. Springman kissed Morris' penis, and in fact, Morris complained that he bit him and it hurt. Morris kissed Springman on Springman's penis. After about thirty minutes they all went to sleep.

Morris and his step-daughter. Holly Buck, Maureene's daughter by a previous marriage, is eighteen years old. She was seven years old when her mother married Morris, and she lived with them in the house at Mathews [Alabama] from then until the separation. Holly testified that, in the summer of 1977, Morris attempted to molest her in the following incident: One night Morris and Maureene were sitting drinking wine and discussing a case Morris was trying. She was with them. Around eleven or twelve o'clock Maureene went to bed and Holly stayed up with Morris discussing the case. Morris kept offering Holly wine, some of which she accepted. At Morris' suggestion, they went outside to the pool, and he suggested that they go for a swim, but Holly was tired and declined. She went to her room and then went into the bathroom. Looking out the window, she saw Morris in the bushes beside the bathroom window looking in. She said, "Morris, is that you?", but he said nothing and ran away. Two months later, she was asleep one night and Morris entered her room from Ellie's room, through the bathroom. He was in his underwear and he sat on the bed where Holly was lying on her stomach facing away from the door. He touched her on the back and woke her. He told her that he had brought her a present, and he presented her with a vibrator. He plugged it in and said he had brought it to her. He proceeded to rub it on her back and said, "Let me show you how to use it." She said that's not necessary, but her started to place it between her legs when she raised her voice and said, "No!" loudly. He then took the vibrator and left. All he had on was a pair of bikini underwear. She did not tell

her mother about this incident until the separation when they moved out of the Mathews house in the spring of 1979.

Morris' Future Daughter-in-law. Karen Sherman Dees is Morris' daughter-in-law, who is married to Morris' son, Scooter (Morris, III). Before Karen and Scooter were married, when they were eighteen or nineteen, which was three or four years ago, an incident occurred on Mother's Day at the family home in Mathews. The Dees had Karen and Scooter to dinner at the house, and they cooked out. While Scooter and Maureene were cleaning up and washing dishes, Karen and Morris went out to go swimming. Five or ten minutes later, Maureene and Scooter started down the path toward the pool, with Maureene in front. As she approached the gate, she could see Morris and Karen standing with their arms around each other with no clothes on, and Morris had an erection. Maureene immediately turned and told Scooter that she did not want to go swimming and the two of them headed back to the house without Scooter have seen anything. Later, Karen and Morris returned from the pool, fully dressed, and the group stayed in the den for a little while. Morris got up and went to bed, and Maureene joined him a few minutes later. While lying in the bed, Maureene looked up and saw that Karen had entered the room. She didn't have any clothes on, but had a towel or sheet wrapped around her. She came over and got in the bed on Morris' side. Nothing happened, but she remained there for about then minutes, and eventually got up and left. Morris told Maureene that he just couldn't understand why she came in the room.

Note: NJM contacted the Circuit Court in Montgomery County, Alabama for a complete copy of Maureene Dees' divorce papers. We were told to contact the Archives & History Department, 624 Washington Ave., Montgomery, AL 36130. If anyone would like a copy, ask for **Case No. CIV. 2114: Maureene Bass Dees (appellant) -vs- Morris S. Dees (appellee), March 8th., 1979.** Or contact Militia of Montana, Box 1486, Noxon, MT 59853. (Include a few dollars to help with postage & printing.)

A MESSAGE FROM SOUTH AFRICA

Fellow Patriots,

We are a small outside isolated non-racial Christian Organization, well motivated and organized and determined to survive, as well as to defend our rights as free people.

As an outside Organization our survival depends on the support of larger Organizations such as the New Jersey Militia and others who support similar views in the struggle for freedom. In return we can offer you our delegated support. At present, a copy of your newsletter, dated December 1995, Vol. 1, issue 6, is circulating our networks.

Thanks to the support rendered by the Southeastern Ohio Defense Force and the Ohio State Militia (Richard Morgan and Ken Goldsmith).

Would you please place us on your subscription list for the *New Jersey Militia Newsletter*.

Many Thanks from the Natal Christian Militia.

Yours in God and Freedom,

G.S.

Editor's Note: If you would like to contact the Natal Christian Militia, (perhaps send them some information, tapes, books, or just a letter) you can reach them at:

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Natal, South Africa

Working for UNICOR

Dear N.J. Militia Newsletter,

I am a Federal Prisoner incarcerated at the U.S Penitentiary in Atlanta, GA. I saw your news clipping in the April issue of the *Patriot Report*. As a forty-five year old incarcerated male, I found your report most interesting and accurate. The majority of inmates within the Federal Prison System (60% are non-violent drug offenders) have little or no business in prison. The irony of the Federal Drug Laws is that persons convicted in federal court under these laws receive much more time than violent rapists, bank robbers, murderers, etc.

Then after they "lock you up" in their system for 30, 40 or 50 years, they put you to work in their Federal Corporation known as UNICOR. They take the most productive years of your life for an average of 66 cents an hour. Are you starting to get the picture?

I would love to receive your newsletter. Please place me on your mailing list.

Sincerely, B.M.

Prisoner of the Federal Government.

BRAVEHEART

A Movie Review

If you want to see what a militia can do once they get their act together, see the movie ***Braveheart***, starring Mel Gibson.

As you watch the movie you'll begin to realize that Scottish militia leader William Wallace (played by Gibson) faced many of the same problems in forming a militia as we do today.

The similarities are striking: Government abuses, infringements on basic rights, hiding weapons, those committed to the cause and those who are double-minded, etc. and a final 'fed-up' attitude by the people against the government that leads to a militia movement.

Those outside the militia movement will not catch these aspects of the movie.

OPEN INVITATION FROM THE NEW JERSEY MILITIA

On July 20, 1996 7:30 pm at the Fieldboro meeting we will have a guest speaker from Better World Technology. Dennis Lee from Wayne, N.J. who has toured the nation with his Greatest Energy Show on Earth will explain his inventions and how it can create a better environment. As Dennis would say "We don't want a new world, we want a better world".

We encourage all to attend.

Better World Technology: 201-208-1100.

MILITIAS ON THE INTERNET

Central Michigan Regional Militia
http://www.grfn.org/heiny/cmrm.html)

Right Side Of The Web:
http://clark.net/pub/cgi-bin/comments.cgi

The Patriots WWW
http://www.kaiwan.com:80/patriot
"The militia movement's unofficial home page"

New Jersey Militia during the Revolution

Part II

[After the capture of Fort Mifflin on Mud Island in the Delaware River in November, 1777, the British were finally able to supply their army in Philadelphia; however their victory was hollow.]

"Up in [northern New Jersey] the British at Paulus Hook and on Staten Island dominated the southern section of Bergen County. There the occasional raiding by Patriot militia had the commendable object of breaking up trade with the enemy, but the raiders were frequently guilty of outrages like those in the Salem country. Along the coast three hundred militiamen labored in vain to suppress the shipment of supplies to the enemy at Perth Amboy and on Staten Island and the circulation of their secret agents..." (p. 65-66)

[Sir Henry Clinton succeeded Sir William Howe as commander-in-chief. His orders were to move the army back to New York, and on June 18, 1778, he evacuated Philadelphia.]

"So the full tide of war was sweeping into New Jersey again. For the fourth time in eighteen months the British were retiring across the State...The Patriots had allowed Clinton's army to reach Haddonfield unmolested, but it had no sooner resumed its march than the militia assailed its vanguard, felling trees across the narrow, sandy road, wrecking bridges, and ambushing it with such stubbornness that once, at least, the field guns had to be unlimbered to clear the way...(p. 76)

"Late in October [1779] a party of Queen's Rangers raided through the Raritan valley as far

as Middlebrook, masquerading as Lee's Light Horse, whose uniform was similar to theirs. They burned the Dutch Reformed Church and the Somerset courthouse before New Jersey mounted militiamen nearly surrounded them and forced them to retreat. All in all, it was, as Washington said of it, a desultory kind of war...(p. 91)

"[In June, 1780, the Hessian general] Knyphausen, whom Clinton had left in command in New York, advanced on Morristown on hearing that two [Continental] regiments had mutinied there...

"The farmers fired on the five thousand advancing British troops from woods and houses; the local militia turned out in force; and at the village of Springfield one of the supposedly mutinous regiments came to the support of Maxwell's brigade, which had retired thus far before Knyphausen's superior numbers. 'Never did troops, either Continental or militia,' Governor Livingston wrote of the action, 'behave better than ours did...At the middle of the night the enemy sneaked off and put their backsides to the Sound near Elizabeth Town.' Their sole accomplishment had been the burning of the village of Connecticut Farms.

"Returning to New York with his Charleston laurels a few days later, Clinton at once determined to wipe out the disgrace of this fiasco. With some of his troops on transports he made a feint of moving up the Hudson, while on June 23 Knyphausen again advanced on Morristown with five thousand infantry, 18 guns, and a considerable body of cavalry...Greene, whom [Washington] had left in command at Morristown, took up a strong position behind the stream at Springfield with about a thousand Continentals and a force of militia. Stubborn fighting at the two bridges over the Rahway River delayed the enemy until late in the afternoon, when Greene, his left flank threatened, retired to a strong position in front of Short Hills and there waited for the British attack. It never came. Instead of advancing, the British retired hastily in the late afternoon, leaving the village of Springfield in flames behind them. They had crossed to Staten Island by midnight, and at daylight the following day took up their bridge of boats...It was the last attempt by British troops at any serious military operation in New Jersey..." (p. 93-94)

New Jersey and the Revolutionary War, Alfred Hoyt Bill

Senator Bob Dole (R-Kansas): Friend or Foe?

Nov. 19, 1993--Dole [the likely Republican presidential nominee] voted for the Crime Bill, which contains Sen. Feinstein's gun ban on more than 180 firearms. (The previous week he prevented a filibuster that would have killed the Feinstein amendment.)

Nov. 23, 1993--The Brady Bill was dead, killed by a bipartisan filibuster in the Senate.

Nov. 24, 1993--The day before Thanksgiving, with only three Senators present, Dole lifted the filibuster and gave the anti-freedom lobby a major victory by passing the Brady Bill.

Jan., 1995--Dole urged President Clinton, on national television, to support the Senate version of the crime bill which contained the Feinstein gun ban.

June 7, 1995--Dole voted for the Terror Bill (S.735) which contains a $100 million increase for the BATF.

Source: Gun Owners of America

OLYMPIC PARANOIA

An army of FBI, CIA, Pentagon and BATF forces are planning to hold antiterrorist war games in Atlanta in an attempt to prevent terrorist activity at the Summer Olympics. The Defense Department has budgeted $35 million to Olympic security including 10,000 troops. In addition, 15,000 to 20,000 private security guards, an elite BATF team, 1,000 to 2,000 FBI agents, CIA, Secret Service and Georgia State Patrol are expected to provide security. An 11-member Georgia State Patrol delegation was sent to Israel to get advise on antiterrorist tactics. One FBI official was quoted in the *New York Post* as saying that *"the biggest threat (in Atlanta) is posed by radical groups within the anti-government U.S. militia movement."*
---*The Spotlight*, April 29, 1996.

Editor's note: No one in the militia movement is *"anti-government"*. (Notice how critics never say "anti-constitution" when speaking of the Militia Movement?) This is just your typical governmental demonization process at work.

Speaking as publisher and co-editor of the NJM newsletter, I have never spoken to, read material by, or know anyone who is *"anti-government"*. The many militias across the country (an estimated 700 to 1000 to date) are unflinchingly pro-constitution, which only *appears* to be *"anti-government"* to the Inside-the-Beltway-Snobs.

When the government labels a constitutionalist as *"anti-government"* what does that tell you about the government? When the Supreme Court overturns legislation passed by Congress, declaring it unconstitutional, does the press attack the Supreme Court for being *"anti-government"*? But when the militia declares legislation unconstitutional, we're attacked unmercifully.

Think of the Constitution as a cage, the federal government as a beast, and the Bill of Rights as a club. Whenever the beast tries to wriggle itself free from between the bars We, the People, have an *unalienable right* to take the club and beat the beast back into its cage. This scenario is not *"anti-government"* rhetoric, it ***IS*** our form of government. This is what Jefferson referred to when he said: *"Governments are instituted among Men, deriving the just powers from the **consent** of the governed."*

In our Republic, ***We***, the People decide what our Rights and Liberties are, and ***we*** grant authority and impose limitations on ***our*** government, and ***our*** government has no "unalienable right" to exceed its authority and free itself from those limitations. When the federal government infringes upon ***our*** Rights and Liberties and exceeds ***our*** imposed limitations, ***they*** no longer govern with our *"consent"* and can be rightfully and legally called "tyrants".

If you read the *Preamble* of The Declaration of Independence, Jefferson did not criticize the British government or British law, he criticized ***"...a long train of abuses and usurpations...repeated injuries"***...and ***"absolute Tyranny over these States..."*** Jefferson was opposed to governmental abuses, not the government. But when *"the long train of abuses..."* reaches a certain point, Jefferson said, *"...whenever **any** Form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it..."*

Anyone who has read the writings of the Founding Fathers quickly realizes that the Second Amendment was included in the Bill of Rights for the express purpose of protecting ourselves against a rogue government. Common sense dictates that there's no need for a firearm as long as a beast is safely secured in its cage...but indispensable after it escapes.

"We should not forget that our tradition is one of protest and revolt and it is stultifying to celebrate the rebels of the past...while we silence the rebels of the present." ---Henry Steele Commager

"Patriotism means to stand by the country. It does not mean to stand by the president or any public official, save exactly to the degree he himself stands by the country." ---Theodore Roosevelt.

"Revolution in Military Affairs"

"What, sir, is the use of a militia? It is to prevent the establishment of a standing army, the bane of liberty."-- Rep. Eldridge Gerry of Massachusetts, I Annals of Congress at 750 (Aug. 17, 1779)

Visionaries at the Army War College foresee the possibility of a national security state capable of using bioelectronics, psychotechnology and chemical tranquilizers to fight ***"conflicts short of war"***. Steven Metz and Lt. Col. James Kievit published their musings in the January, 1996, issue of *Special Warfare*, the professional journal of the JFK Special Warfare Center at Ft. Bragg, NC. By 2005 the authors hypotheticize that America will be awash in ***"third wave terrorism"***,

UN-mandated entanglements in foreign ethnic conflicts and exotic Third World diseases, all of which will necessitate a new military doctrine based on ***"computer-controlled 'perception molding' systems"*** and other forms of behavior control.

But before this could happen the leaders of this "revolution in military affairs" have to convince the President and Congressional leaders that traditional American ethics are a hindrance. To condition the public ***"an appropriate attitudinal vessel"*** was chosen--namely, the ***"war on drugs"*** and other crime fighting ventures. Furthermore, "Through persistent efforts and sophisticated domestic consciousness-raising, old-fashioned notions of personal privacy and national sovereignty changed...No distinction, legal or otherwise, was drawn between internal and external threats. In the interdependent 21st-century world, such a differentiation was dangerously nostalgic...

"The old Cold War structures--Department of Defense, Department of State, Central Intelligence Agency, National Security Council" among others--were replaced by "The Conflict Preemption Agency" and the "Conflict Containment Agency" the latter of which "integrated the military into civilian law enforcement" and intelligence agencies. This was made possible because "the organizational division between the military and law enforcement was abolished."

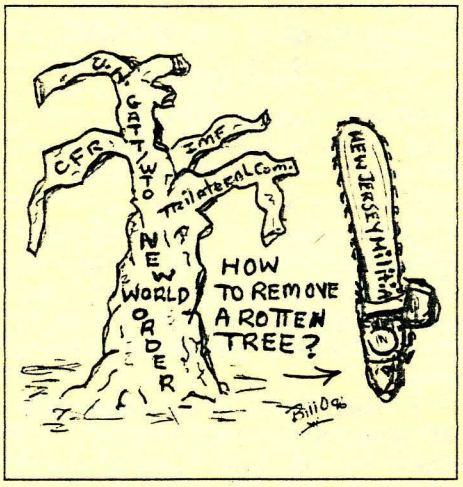
As an example of how the new military doctrine might be applied the authors dreamed up ***"Operation Cerberus"*** in which information technology and "drug-assisted subliminal conditioning" were used to prevent an uprising against Castro's successor: "Virtually all food supplies [delivered by relief workers] contained long-lasting sedatives that calmed local passions and led to an immediate decline in anti-regime activity. Where there were no direct U.S. relief efforts, cruise missiles were used to disperse sedatives."

The authors conclude their star-gazing with the comment: "It is certainly not a preference. But it is a possibility."

"Army 1996 Survey "

The Army Research Institute has surveyed a cross section of active, reserve and civilian personnel about their attitudes toward a number of matters, including "non-traditional" missions. Of the 59 questions numbers 30 and 31, under the survey's "Leader Development" section, are of particular interest:

30. Do you support using the U.S. Armed Forces to do the following: Support operations to combat the flow of illegal drugs into the U.S.? Provide humanitarian relief in the U.S. in areas hit by a major disaster? Be part of a United Nations peacekeeping/peace-enforcing force wherever needed? Combat terrorism which threatens U.S. citizens? Maintain a military presence in overseas areas of vital interest to the U.S. in order to prevent problems?



31. How ready is your unit should it be assigned one or more of these duties?

Editor's Note: the Army's survey is reminiscent of the infamous Marine Corps survey at Twenty-nine Palms, California, in which veterans of the Gulf War were asked if they would fire on fellow Americans should they resist gun confiscation. Twenty-three percent said they would.

OPEN DISCUSSION WITH THE NJM

Due to the atrocities which have been committed throughout this century by a system which is contrary to the founding principles of this Republic, the New Jersey Militia is deeply concerned for the safety and general welfare of our nation and its people.

Therefore, with respect, we are inviting the public relations personnel from the following agencies and including the Governor of N.J. to a live on-air discussion: 1) N.J. State Police, 2) FBI, 3) BATF, 4) Federal Marshal Service, 5) N. J. National Guard.

Ostensibly there has been a wedge driven deep into America due to the misconduct and ill behavior of this system which has created much dissension. Therefore, we are endeavoring to dismiss any false allegations against the patriot movement. It must be mentioned, our intentions are not to build upon and further the already prevailing dissension amongst Americans, but we are of the opinion that divided we fall and fail as a nation.

The discussion date is open. We will wait for your reply so that we may coordinate the dates. We are sending this open letter to radio and television stations, newspapers, etc.

As a candid people, we are willing to explore different territory to find the solution and solve the problems. You may contact me at 609-989-7292 or at our P.O. Box below.

Respectfully, Earl G. Dickey

"IN THE BEGINNING OF CHANGE, THE PATRIOT IS A SCARCE MAN; HATED AND SCORNED. WHEN HIS CAUSE SUCCEEDS, HOWEVER, THE TIMID JOIN HIM, FOR THEN IT COSTS NOTHING TO BE A PATRIOT."

--MARK TWAIN

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